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We are in receipt of your letter dated 2/20/02 in regards to our mid-year filing for 2001. We are a small PAC that attempts to have a full-time Executive Director; however, for the first several months of 2001, the position was open. As our primary fund-raising event for has been towards the end of the year the past several years, and our contributions to candidates do not require ED participation, we were able to perform our functions as the Board of Directors stepped in to perform tasks as needed. You will note we had an ED the second half of 2001 when we had our fundraiser, and are again without an ED as we proceed through 2002.

You have also requested information about other expenses, particularly rent and utilities. You will note we do have regular telephone expenses. We do not maintain an office, thus we do not incur either rent or utility expense. From time to time, our ED (or the person filling that role) might need 'office facilities' if they do not have them at their regular place of employment or their home. When a desk is needed, a member of our Board can usually provide a desk for a day or two, although this is rarely needed. In general, however, our ED has been able to work out of his or her home.